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1. Proposed Article 8:

A. Aircraft of air transport companies designated by either Contracting Party engaged in air transport services provided for in the present Agreement shall be permitted to enter and depart from the territories of the other Contracting Party without payment of customs duties or other import charges.

B. Each Contracting Party shall exempt air transport companies designated by the other Contracting Party from import restrictions and from the payment of customs duties, inspection fees and all other charges or taxes imposed on fuels, lubricants, consumable technical supplies, spare parts (including engines), regular equipment, stores and other items intended to be used or consumed exclusively by aircraft that such companies use in air transport services provided in the present Agreement. Such customs and fiscal exemptions shall apply:

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(1) to items introduced in the territories of either Contracting Party and intended to be used on board or in connection with the provision of ground support services for aircraft of companies designated by the other Contracting Party:

(2) to items retained on board aircraft of the companies designated by either Contracting Party arriving in or departing from the territories of the other Contracting Party:

(3) to items taken on board aircraft of companies designated by either Contracting Party in the territories of the other Contracting Party and intended for the exclusive use of such aircraft.

C. Items which enjoy customs and fiscal privileges under the provisions of the preceding paragraph may also be used or consumed in the course of flights above the territories of the Contracting Party which has granted such privileges, but shall not be used for purposes other than air transport services. They shall be reexported in cases where they are not used for such services, unless they have been granted customs entry (nationalization) in accordance with the regulations

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in effect in the territories of such Contracting Party. Pending their use and consumption such items shall remain under customs control.

D. The exemptions provided for in the present Article shall be subject to compliance with the procedures in effect within the territories of the Contracting Party granting such exemptions, and shall not extend to charges incurred in connection with services rendered.

E. The exemptions provided under the present Article shall be available in situations where the air transport company or companies designated by one Contracting Party have entered into arrangements with another air transport company or companies for the loan or transfer in the territories of the other Contracting Party of the items specified in paragraph B, provided such other air transport company or companies similarly enjoy such exemptions from such other Contracting Party.

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